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In re the Application of: UCHIMI, Hideki et al.

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RESPONSE UNDER 37 CFR §1.116 - EXPEDITED RESPONSE GROUP ART UNIT 3627

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Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

May 11, 2005

Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated February 16, 2005, entry of the following amendments and remarks, further examination, and reconsideration are respectfully requested.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 12 of this paper.